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Applicant: JOHNSON et al.
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For: "LOW SULFUR COAL
ADDITIVE FOR IMPROVED FURNACE
OPERATION"

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of May 1, 2006. Filed concurrently herewith is a Request for Extension of Time, extending the deadline to November 1, 2006. Although the Applicant believes that no other fees are due for filing this Amendment and Response, please charge any such fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.